GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7379
ANSWERED ON:15.05.2002
INDIA`S ENTRY IN ASEAN
SRIKANTA DATTA NARASIMHARAJA WADIYAR

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any effort is being made by the Government to become a full member of the Association of South East Asian Nations; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH)

a) No, Sir.

b) An ASEAN-India Summit is scheduled for 5 November 2002.